

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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## **Fair Funding Formula Working Group**

Meeting 7 of 8
January 11th, 2016
5:00-7:30pm

Rhode Island College Student Union Ballroom 600 Mount Pleasant Avenue Providence, RI 02908

## **Public Agenda**

Please note the Public Comment Period will be held from 5:15-5:45PM

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Address from the Governor
- 3. Public Comment
- 4. Review of Draft Recommendations
- 5. Working Group Recommendation Discussion
  - > Working Group discussion on each recommendation area
    - o Fixed and marginal costs for school operation
    - The differences in expense profiles between traditional school districts and public charter schools
    - English language learners
    - Special education
    - Career and technical education
    - o Local education aid and local share
    - o Increasing efficiency and innovation
    - o Public charter school housing
- 6. Next meeting focus
  - Next Steps
- 7. Summary & Adjournment